

1 here wants the same thing, but we are talking in the light
2 of our background, which in some cases is a little mingled,
3 but I would like to say, sir, I don't mean that critically,
4 and if I have offended, I apologize; but what I would like
5 to say to one delegate here is this: there should be no
6 need for a head start if we educate our children all over
7 these United States. Why should poverty and ignorance
8 exist anywhere in this country? Why should it exist any-
9 where in Maryland? We are talking about two levels of
10 educational opportunity. St. Mary's County, my impassioned
11 friend, gets 80 per cent or more money from the State of
12 Maryland than the Federal government to educate its
13 people; Garrett County, the same; Caroline and others.
14 That is what we mean by educational or as near equal
15 opportunity; the State and the Federal government going
16 down and putting money where it is needed to you. That
17 is an entirely different thing.

18 Then we have another level of educational oppor-
19 tunity, Mr. Chairman. This is on the college level. I
20 am not so much disturbed how you vote on this, because I
21 believe that the courts are going to decide this case